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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Re: Inventor(s): William John Goetzinger, Glen Howard Handlogten, James Francis Mikos and David Alan Norgaard  
Title: WEIGHTED FAIR QUEUE HAVING EXTENDED EFFECTIVE RANGE  
Serial No.: 10/016,518  
Filed: November 1, 2001  
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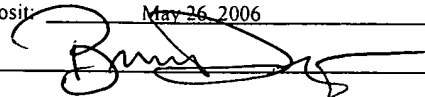
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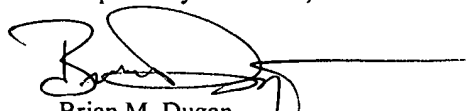
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97,  
applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the  
following references:

U.S. Patent No. 6,481,251 B1, Meier et al.

U.S. Patent No. 6,810,043 B1, Naven et al.

Lyons, P.J. et al., "Estimating clock speeds for the  
ATMSWITCH architecture", 1999, Institute of Information Sciences  
and Technology - Massey University, pages 1-14.

These references are also listed on the accompanying  
Information Disclosure Statement (Form PTO-1449).

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this  
patent application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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## U.S. Patent Documents

*Examiner Initial		Document Number	Issue Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate
	US-1	6,481,251 B1	11/19/02	Meier et al.			
	US-2	6,810,043 B1	10/26/04	Naven et al.			
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## Foreign Patent Documents

## Translation

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## OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	OT-1	Lyons, P.J. et al., "Estimating clock speeds for the ATMSWITCH architecture", 1999, Institute of Information Sciences and Technology - Massey University, pages 1-14.						
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